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TORRINGTON, CONN.

PRIVIES AND CESSPOOLS-LOCATION AND CONSTRUCTION.

Section 4. No privy or cesspool shall hereafter be constructed in the borough of Torrington upon a lot on a street in which there is a sewer or upon a street after the same has been sewered, except such privy or cesspool be connected with said sewer and provided with efficient trap or traps and suitable means for flushing and cleaning the same, to the acceptance of the board of health.

[Ordnance effective July 1, 1911.]

WILMINGTON, N. C.

PRIVIES-CONSTRUCTION, INSPECTION, AND REMOVAL OF CONTENTS.

Section 1. It shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to own, maintain, or rent any privy in the city of Wilmington unless the same shall be so constructed as to prevent the access of flies to the excrement deposited therein, and to protect the soil from contamination, and to permit the easy and proper placing and removal of a receptacle 16 inches in height and 15 inches in diameter, which receptacle will be furnished if requested by the city of Wilmington at cost, and unless the same

shall be so located as to be accessible to the city scavenger.

Sec. 2. It shall be the duty of the superintendent of health to cause all privies in the city of Wilmington to be inspected at least once in every 10 days, and a permit for the use of the same shall be given by the superintendent of health to the person, firm, or corporation using or maintaining said privy, when same is kept and maintained in a satisfactory sanitary condition; and if the same is not kept and maintained in a satisfactory sanitary condition, then the superintendent of health shall cause said permit to be revoked unless the same is put in a satisfactory sanitary condition within a reasonable time after notice is given to said person, firm, or corporation keep-

ing or maintaining such privy or privies.

Sec. 3. It shall be the duty of the health department of the city of Wilmington to provide the means and supervise the removal of excrement from the aforesaid privies

as often as it may be deemed necessary.

Sec. 4. The city scavenger shall, on removing a receptacle from a privy, replace it immediately by a similar receptacle that has been thoroughly cleaned and disin-

fected according to the directions of the health officer.

Sec. 5. A charge of 20 cents for each can or 35 cents for two cans in same closet shall be paid for service herein provided for, by the owner or tenant in possession of the property, and the amount so collected shall be used to defray the expense of disinfection of such privies and scavenging done therein when done by the health

department of the city.

Sec. 6. Any person, firm, or corporation violating any of the provisions of this act shall be guilty of a misdemeanor, and shall be subject to a fine of not less than \$5 nor

more than \$50.

[Ordinance effective Dec. 7, 1911.]

SOIL POLLUTION-PREVENTION OF.

SECTION 1. That on and after the date of the passage of this ordinance it shall be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to deposit upon the surface or bury beneath the surface of the soil within the limits of the city of Wilmington any human excrement, carrion, putrid or decaying animal matter of any sort whatsoever.

Sec. 2. It shall also be unlawful for any person, firm, or corporation to bury beneath the soil within the limits of the city of Wilmington any carcass or body or any part

Any person violating any of the provisions of this ordinance shall be fined \$50 for each and every offense, or imprisoned for not less than 30 days.

All ordinances or parts of ordinances heretofore passed by the council of the city of Wilmington in conflict with this ordinance are hereby repealed.

[Ordinance adopted Sept. 19, 1911.]